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Capt. Theodore B. Hacker, commissary of

subsistence, U. S. V., has been ordered from

Cienfuegos, Cuba, to New York city for

Capt. Ira L. Fredendall, assistant quar-

termaster, U. S. V., now in this city, has

been ordered to New York city for duty on

the transport Ingalls, to relieve Major

Thomas Cruse, quartermaster, U. S. V.,

who is ordered to this city for further in-

further orders.

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Fingler, my inshand, Many thanks for your
promptness, and great success to the company.

Very truly yours,
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OFFICE OF THE METROPOLITAN RAILROAD

te. Washington, D. C., May 12, 1899.—Notice is hereby given that the books for the transfer of certificates of indebtedness, series B, will be closed from May the 15th to June 1, 1899, and the books for the transfer of stock will be closed from May 2) to June 1, 1895, my15-6t G. B. COLEMAN, Secretary.

WILL ANY PASSENGER WHO WITNESSED AC cident on open car of Chevy Chase line Sunda May 7, 1895, about 5 p.m., correspond with W M. Star office? my15-3t\* WASHINGTON IS THE HOME OF THE MUSCLE

benters. No stranger should leave town without a complete set and instruction from the inventor my 15 lm. JOHN E. RUERSAM, 20 3d n.e. SPIRITUALISM — MRS. ZOLLER, SPIRITUAL MEDIUM 802 H ST N.W SEANCES SUNDAY, TUESDAY, FRIDAY EVENINGS. INTERVIEWS DAILY.

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CLEVELAND PARK

Acting Assistant Surgeon James F. Dunshie, U. S. A., has been relieved from duty at Camp Meade, Middletown, Pa., and or-dered to Havana, Cuba, for assignment to

First Lieut. James D. Gallup, 1st Wyom-FREE!—In anticipation of the great de g Volunteer Infantry, has been honorably scharged the service by reason of physimand for seats for Pain's Fire-works during the Jubilee festivities, we will give GRATIS with every purchase of \$2.50 a 25c, ticket; with every purchase of \$5 a 56c, ticket JOSEPH AUERBACH, Men's Outfitter and Hatter, my12-12t 623 Pa. ave.

al disability. Capt. Andrew S. Rowan, 19th United States Infantry, has been relieved from his duties in connection with the muster out of volunteer troops at Savannah, Ga., and ordered to join his regiment.

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# ROYAL ARCANUM

Twenty-Second Annual Session of Supreme Council.

#### REPORTS OF OFFICERS READY TODAY

An Insurance Organization With Social Features Prominent.

OFFICERS AND DELEGATES

When you see our soft, beautiful serges, you'll want nothing cooler or more stylish for summer. You'll be pleased if we make you a suit. The twenty-second annual session of the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum convened at the Arlington Hotel in this city at 2 o'clock this afternoon, when credentials of delegates were received and reports of officers were read. There were present about ninety delegates. The seshave direct action ovens—insure quick and even baking. Drilled or sawed burners— all burner valves in front—only......\$14 sion will last eight days, during which time a large amount of business of interest to the order, which has 195,000 members scat-WM, J. HUTCHINSON, 520 10th st. my17-8d tered throughout the United States, will be transacted. This evening the delegates will go on an excursion down the Potomac. We're going to discontinue the sale of Bicycle Suits and Trousers. Closing out remnants now

Admiral Schicy's Welcome.

Previous to the assembling of the council a reception was held in the parlors of the

Arlington. The council was called to order in the arge banquet hall by Mr. C. R. Zappone of this city, who presented Rear Admiral Schley, who delivered a brief address of welcome. He was accorded a warm reception. At the conclusion of his words of welcome Supreme Regent Edson M. Schryver responded, and paid a high tribute to the "Hero of Eantlage."

the "Hero of Eantlago."

A short recess was then taken, and the delegates were introduced to the admital.

The program arranged for the delegates during the present week follows:
Wednesday, May 17—2 p.m.: Heception at
the Arlington Hotel, with address of welcome by Rear Admiral W. S. Schley, past
regent of Farragut Council, No. 669, R. A.

7 p.m.: Excursion to River View, Md., by steamers Samuel J. Pentz and Estelle Ran-We are pastmasters in the Thursday, May 18-2:30 p.m.: Visit to

Priday, May 19-1:45 p.m.; Pilgrimage to Mt. Vernon, home and temb of Washington, by steamer Charles Macalester. On return trip a stop will be made at Alexan-dria, Va., where, as guests of Alexandria Council, No. 627, R. A., a visit will be made

to Christ Church, the Masonic Lodge of which Washington was master, the Marshall House and other points of interest Refreshments will be served in Arcanum Hall, Reach Washington 7 p.m.
Saturday, May 20-3:30 p.m.: Visit to Fort Myer, Va., and Arlington National ceme-Sunday, May 21—3 p.m.: Visit to the Library of Congress. The President of the United States will receive the members of the Supreme Council and their ladies at an hour hereafter to be designated by him.

When we supply them with Extracts, Flavorings, Canned Cream and Milk, Salt, etc. Our prices are always lowest for satisfactory quality, And our special delivery wagons bring your orders "in a harry" if you mexpectedly "run short." Write or phone for prices.

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The delegates to the convention represent the supreme councils of the country, no one of which may be organized without a membership of at least 1,000.

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North Carolina-Dr. J. Howell Way. Minresota—Chas. H. Huhn, Elijah Baker Iowa—Fred. W. Wilson. District of Columbia—C. R. Zappone. Nebraska-Frank L. Gregory.
The Royal Arcanum order is a fraternal one, and its members meet in lodges and cultivate the social side of their enterprise, as we'll as look after its insurance

Organized in 1877. The Supreme Council was organized June 23, 1877, and incorporated under the general laws of Massachusetts November 5 of that year. The first annual session was held in Boston April 23 to 26, 1878, the body being composed of the incorporators, together with representatives admitted from grand councils of Massachusetts, Ohio and fair and cooler; wind Michigan. At that session there were reported 82 councils, scattered over a large portion of the United States and a part of Canada, with a total membership of about

During the following fiscal year the number of councils was increased to 308 and the membership to 10.500, located in twentythree states and three Canadian provinces Grand councils were instituted in New York, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin.

The council will meet tomorrow morning, when new business will be proposed and referred to committees.

over the upper lake region, and thence southwestward to northern Texas. Thun-A local committee on reception, of which Mr. C. R. Zappone is chairman, will ar-range social features for the entertainment der storms have occurred generally throughout the area covered by this depression, and local rains have extended over southern New England and over the

#### Naval Orders.

of the guests daily.

Rear Admiral G. W. Sumner has been detached from duty as commandant of the naval station at Port Royal, S. C., June 1. and ordered home on waiting orders. Capt. C. H. Rockwell has also been detached from duty at the Port Royal sta-

tion and ordered home. Capt. G. C. Reiter has been detached from duty as inspector of the thirteenth light-house district and ordered to duty as com-mandant of the Puget Sound naval station. relieving Capt. J. G. Green, who is ordered

ome on waiting orders.

Lieut. E. E. Capehart, to the torpedo station. Newport. Passed Assistant Engineer E. S. Kellogg, from duty at Harrisburg to the New York navy yard.

Recruits Below the Standard. An order has been issued by the War Department warning recruiting officers to be more careful in the selection of recruits for the army. It is stated that complaints of the army. It is stated that companies of the inferior quality of recruits indicate a lack of care on the part of some officers. Physical defects have been found which should, in the judgment of the department, have been discovered when the men were the men were the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:

Thermometer, May 16, 4 p.m., 84; 8 p.m.,

Records for Twenty-Four Hours.

The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:

Thermometer, May 16, 4 p.m., 84; 8 p.m.,

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Vessel in Service of Coast and Geodetle Survey-Now Anchored Off K Street Wharf.

coast survey. She is the largest ship the

survey has ever had built, and is a model

of her class, being 196 feet long, 33 feet

beam and drawing 12 feet folig, as rete is of 630 tons gross burden, is bark rigged, has triple expansion engines and can make twelve and one-half knots an hour under

The vessel is beautifully finished through-out, has electric lights and is equipped with all the appliances used in the work of sur-

Fair and Cooler Thursday, Winds

Brisk and Southerly.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Thursday.-For the

District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania,

New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, un-

settled weather, with local rains this after-

noon and tonight, followed Thursday by

fair and cooler; winds mostly fresh and

For Virginia, local rains this afternoon and probably tonight; fair and cooler

Weather conditions and general forecast.

-The disturbance which was central over the lower Missouri valley Tuesday morning

has extended eastward and this morning presents a trough of low barometer, which

extends from the middle Atlantic coast

states of the Missouri valley. Local rains have also occurred in the north Pacific

The temperature has fallen decidedly from

the upper Mississipply valley to the middle Rocky mountain region, with a minimum of 30 degrees at Cheyenne and Lander, Wyo., and frost in western Nebraska, northern Colorado, Wyoming, eastern Mon-

tana and northwestern North Dakota.

Unsettled weather with local rains will probably continue over the middle Atlantic

and southern New England states, the Ohio valley and the lower lake region dur-ing the next twenty-four hours, with clear-

ing and cooler weather in the Ohio valley

and the middle Atlantic states by Thurs-day. In the south Atlantic and gulf states

the weather will continue generally fair.

Variable winds and squalis are indicated for the middle Atlantic coast. Along the New England coast the winds will be brisk

from northeast, and fresh southwesterly winds will prevail along the south Atlantic

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: Detroit, 1.16; Teledo.

1.90; Pittsburg, 1.00.

coast states.

Thursday; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

ordinary draught.

Magellan and San Francisco. The vessel route, checking the old charts, compiled is anchored in the stream off the foot of K from various sources, upon which the service is now compelled to depend.

Street.

The Pathfinder was launched at Elizabeth, N. J., last December, and was constructed especially for the work of the in Alaska. It is probable that next winter

ratus and Lord Kelvin's sounding machine.

The ship was designed with a view to en-

the ship will be used in c in the Hawaiian Islands.

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8

a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 70; condi-

71; condition at north connection, 27; condition at south connection, 19. Distributing reservoir, temperature, 70; condition at In-

fluent gate house, 21; effluent gate house,

Tide Table.

Today-Low tide, 8:05 a.m. and 8:25 p.m.;

Today—Low tide, 8:00 a.m. and 8:20 p.m., high tide, 1:14 a.m. and 1:21 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 8:57 a.m. and 9:12 p.m.; high tide, 2:00 a.m. and 2:07 p.m.

The Sun and Moon.

Today-Sun rises, 4:43 a.m.; sun sets, 7:09

The City Lights.

LITTLE QUIET JOKE ON THE FAMILY.

While we were at the seaside last summer l

sprung a little experiment on my family. I noticed

that husband and the children were all lacking in energy and go, and something seemed wrong with

gradually dawned upon me that perhaps this was

Without saying anything I bought a package of

the Postum Food Coffee, and having been warned to look out and see that it was properly made, I

gave my own special attention to it. For about a

week we used it and not one of the family knew

but what they were drinking the best coffee. When I finally told them that it was Postum, my hus-

band laughed and said, "Let us continue on the Postum. I have been feeling very much better

the cause.

Moon sets, 12:50 a.m. tomorrow.

Tomorrow-Sun rises, 4:42 a.m.

Receiving reservoir, temperature

LONG JOURNEY IN VIEW durance, and can steam 6,000 miles without recoaling. In the cabins there are accommodations for the large parties which the survey occasionally sends out. Her own complement is about seventy, but she can Steamer Pathfinder Being Prepared for Trip carry twenty officers in the ward room and thirty additional men in other parts of the Alaska Her Destination.

The Pathfinder was brought to Washington by Capt, John Ross, who has been

superintending her completion and fitting out at Elizabeth. Assistant F. W. Perkins of the coast and geodetic survey has been detailed to convey the ship around to San The new steamer Pathfinder of the coast and geodetic survey has reached Washington and will remain here until the end of next week, when she will start upon the long journey to Alaska via the Straits of

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAILS

The Charges Against John A. Grow and Algernon Granville.

The Evidence for Prosecution All in and Defense Begins-A Defendant's Story.

The case of John A. Grow and Algernon Granville, charged with a violation of the Revised Statutes of the United States in using the mails for fraudulent purposes was continued today in Criminal Court No. 2. The prosecution claims the defendants rented a store at 1119 7th street and corresponded with out-of-town drug dealers under the assumed name of Heary Evans, M. P., this being the name of a reputable druggist of this city. The defendants received, it is further claimed, a large amount of goods in this manner, forwarded them to New York and elsewhere, disposing of them at prices far below the market price. Assistant District Attorney Gould conducted the prosecution. Grow is represented by his father, John A. Grow, sr., of New York and J. C. Campbell. Campbell Carrington is counsel for Granville. The government's testimony was all in

before the noon recess was taken.

At this juncture counsel for defense moved that the case be taken out of the jury's hands, as the prosecution's testimony was not sufficient to maintain the charges. Judge Bradley overruled the motion and ordered the defense to proceed Statement for Defense.

### Mr. Grow, in behalf of his son, stated that

he would prove his boys' connection with the firm was purely in a clerical capacity. And, further, that his son had intended leaving Washington and returning to work in New York the Saturday prior to the Tuesday which was marked by his arrest. He was persuaded to stay until that time to await the arrival of "Dr. Evans." His son he continued, came to Washington to work for the local telephone company; that he is well known here and was once a student at Columbian University. During all his res idence here he was never known by any other than his own name.

The crew of the Pathinder is composed of enlisted men of the navy, who, un ler the personnel bill, become regular and not The defendant Grow then went upon the stand, his evidence corroborating the out-lined statement of his father. Grow said that before he came to Washington he met a "Dr. Evans." whom he understood to be special service men, as hitherto. The offiwho have had scattering experience. Before the proprietor of the business. the war with Spain the ships were com-manded by naval officers, but when hos-tilities broke out these officers were deans" never came to Washington, Ging his orders here from Granville never came to Washington, Grow tak-The cross-examination was in progress when The Star's report closed. There are tached from this service and the coast survey was left in the lurch. Their places were soon filled, however, and now the a number of witnesses yet to be heard.

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